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LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Hanceville talks dog park, 2020 Census

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HANCEVILLE, Ala. – Hanceville residents will soon see some improvements and upgrades to the city's dog park thanks to a $5,000 grant announced by Mayor Kenneth Nail at Thursday night's Hanceville City Council meeting. The dog park is located near the creek at Veterans Park.

Councilwoman Kim Brown explained, "The grant will give us the ability to add some better equipment, some runs and improve the fencing on the back side."

The specifics on the source of the grant were not available Thursday evening.

The council approved to surplus two large military trucks and two other vehicles from the Hanceville Police Department on GovDeals. The City is surplussing the vehicles is an effort to raise funds for new cameras for the police department. The City approved money in this year's budget for the purchase of » PAGE 8



CHRISTY PERRY/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

Seen at Thursday night's meeting of the Hanceville City Council are Councilwoman Kim Brown, Mayor Kenneth Nail and Councilman Jim Sawyer.

– POLITICS –

Local GOP hosts candidates, awards members



MAGGIE DARNELL/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

Cullman County Republican Party Chairman Steve Cummings (left) presents District Judge Kim Chaney (right) with the "Elected Official of the Year" award at the Cullman County Republican Party Dinner and Silent Auction Thursday evening. Scheduled to speak were Republican candidates for the U.S. Senate seat currently held by U.S. Sen. Doug Jones, D-Alabama: U.S. Rep. Bradley Byrne; former judge Roy Moore; businessman Stanley Adair; Alabama Rep. Arnold Mooney, R-Birmingham; Former Auburn Football Head Coach Tommy Tuberville- (video message); and a surrogate for former U.S. Attorney General and former U.S. Sen. Jeff Sessions. Also scheduled were Cullman County Commission chairman candidates Chairman Kenneth Walker, Philip Widner, Wiley Kitchens and Jeff Clemons. Look for the full story Friday at www.CullmanTribune.com.

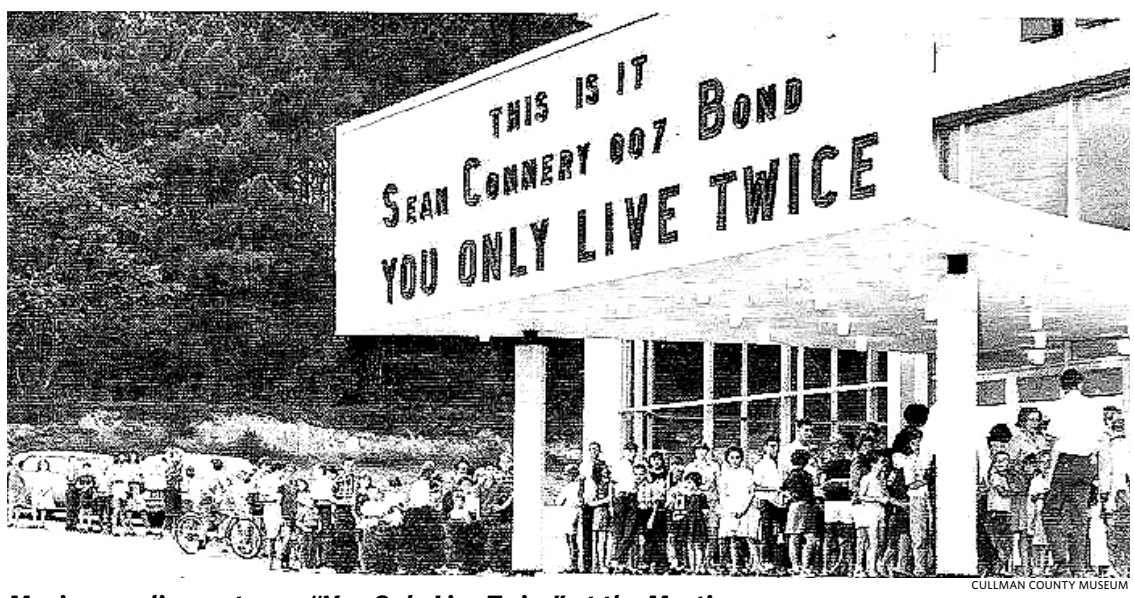
LIFESTYLE

Do you remember? The Martin Twin

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The year was 1966 and a young heartthrob, Sean Connery, had recently returned as 007 James Bond in "Thunderball." Shortly after the movie's release, the Martin Theatre opened in Cullman. Located next to the Cullman Shopping Center on Loring Street Northwest, the new theater would be the hot spot for many for the next 20 years.

The Martin opened Friday, June 3, 1966 at 7:30 p.m., and moviegoers lined up to be among the first to see a show. The announcement of the new theater described the ven- » PAGE 8



CULLMAN COUNTY MUSEUM

Moviegoers line up to see "You Only Live Twice" at the Martin Theatre (later named the Martin Twin) in Cullman in 1967.



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Sylvia Edmondson (left) and Tulsa Halverson (second from right) pose for a photo in front of Duchess Bakery with co-workers Brandi Brewster (second from left) and Amber Butler (right).

LIFESTYLE

#IAmCullman: Sylvia and Tulsa from Duchess Bakery

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With this feature series, The Cullman Tribune is highlighting everyday individuals all around Cullman County who make our community a great place. #IAmCullman

Many have heard the phrase, "Time to make the donuts," but in Cullman, it's important to know WHO made the donuts. Walking into work and seeing that blue bag or white box of fresh donuts from Duchess Bakery makes even the worst morning a little bit better. Have you ever wondered who the angels are who wake up every morning and prepare the heavenly glazed bits of goodness?

Tulsa Halverson and Sylvia Edmondson have been getting up early for more than a decade to make sure everyone can get fresh Duchess donuts. Edmondson celebrated her 13th anniversary at the bakery Jan. 23 and Halverson has been there for almost 12 years. Edmondson is also the talent behind the bakery's pecan pie, Boston creme pie and chocolate surprise cakes.

The ladies get to work each morning at 3:30, perhaps earlier if they have large orders. Halverson lives in Winston County, so to make it to work on time, she wakes up each morning at 1:30. Edmondson drives from her home in Hanceville, so it's not as early for her. Either way, they are busy making the donuts that other people are still at home dreaming about eating for breakfast.

For those who have » PAGE 7

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CRIME

Arrests and incidents reported Jan. 23

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CULLMAN, Ala. – Below are the arrests and incidents reported Jan. 23, 2020. All persons are innocent until proven guilty.

GJ = grand jury; **FTA** = failure to appear

CULLMAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

INCIDENTS

Jan. 21

- domestic violence; Hwy. 31
- unlawful possession of marijuana; Welcome Road
- theft of property; Super Saver Road
- harassment, trespassing; CR 351
- theft of property; Hwy. 278 E
- harassment; Hwy. 69 S
- theft of property; Hwy. 157
- permitting dogs to run at large; CR 369
- domestic violence; CR 1114
- theft of property; CR 1343
- trafficking drugs, unlawful possession of a controlled substance, possession of drug paraphernalia; CR 1203/CR 1212

Jan. 22

- domestic violence; CR 1823
- harassment, criminal mischief; CR 728
- menacing, reckless endangerment; CR 1371
- domestic violence; CR 509
- attempting to elude a law enforcement officer; CR 1114

ARRESTS

Jan. 21

Armstrong, Ryan Elliott, 39

- FTA- improper/no muffler

Drane, Anthony Gwen, 33

- probation violation-second-degree forgery (2 counts)

Green, Jennifer Scarlett, 28

- third-degree domestic violence

Morton, Jason Matthew, 37

- negotiating a worthless negotiable instrument

Redmon, David Eugene, 46

- FTA- attempting to elude

Reed, Adrian Lamar, 36

- FTA- failure to register/establish SORNA

Smallwood, Eric Wayne, 31

- GJ- third-degree burglary

Westmoreland, Cathel Monroe, 53

- possession of drug paraphernalia
- tag light required (2 counts)
- trafficking in methamphetamine
- second-degree unlawful possession of marijuana
- unlawful possession of a controlled substance

Jan. 22

Barker, Harrison Robert, 26

- GJ- first-degree theft of property

Brown Jr., Clyde Michael, 37

- second-degree receiving stolen property
- first-degree theft of property

Graff, Wade Thomas, 26

- FTA- driving without a license

Keen, Julia Diane, 30

- third-degree domestic violence

Lindenmayer, Barney Wayne, 49

- third-degree domestic violence- harassment

Mann, Daniel Reece, 29

- DUI- any substance

Moore, David Joseph, 38

- unlawful possession of a controlled substance

Sivley, Joseph Bradley, 36

- FTA- third-degree domestic violence- reckless endangerment
- writ of arrest- child support

CULLMAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

INCIDENTS

Jan. 19

- leaving the scene of an accident; person; Main Ave. SW, 7th St. SW

Jan. 22

- third-degree criminal trespassing; Coin Laundry; 4th St. SW
- third-degree criminal trespassing, fourth-degree theft of property; Morrow Reality; Gold Mark Ct. SW; damaged machine, coins
- first-degree theft of property; Wal-Mart; Olive St. SW; cash
- third-degree domestic violence; person; Hwy. 278 W;

ARRESTS

Jan. 22

Lambert, Jimmy W., 41

- third-degree criminal trespassing

England, Breanna N., 34

- third-degree domestic violence

Miller, Karen A., 56

- fourth-degree theft of property

HANCEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

No incidents or arrests reported.

Find arrest reports online Monday-Friday at www.CullmanTribune.com.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Garden City sets salaries, obtains firefighter benefits

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GARDEN CITY, Ala. – The Garden City Town Council at its January meeting tackled salaries for the next mayor and council, the numbering of council places, setting the qualification fees for the upcoming election and the new insurance plan offered by the Alabama League of Municipalities endorsed program, the Alabama First Responders Benefits Program, a plan Garden City Volunteer Fire Department Chief James Johnson brought forward at the council's November 2019 meeting.

The council voted to set the new salary for the office of mayor at $9,840, $820 monthly, with council members receiving $1,440 annually, $120 monthly. The pay rates take effect Nov. 2, 2020.

The council then adopted an ordinance numbering council seats: Place Number 1, Place Number 2, Place Number 3, Place Number 4 and Place Number 5.

Qualification fees for future elections were set at $50 for the office of mayor and $25 for town council seats.

The council voted to obtain the Alabama First Responders Benefits Program for Garden City firefighters.

"It's a well-known fact that certain types of cancer are a health risk for firefighters, and with a cancer diagnosis comes major costs," reads www.alfrpb.com.

"Thanks to the new law, ACT 2019-361, Firefighters throughout the State of Alabama are now entitled to an enhanced cancer and disability coverage program provided by their municipality, county, public entity, or fire district, for both Career Paid and Volunteer Firefighters.

"This program provides multiple options for both Career and Volunteer Firefighters. The Alabama First Responders Benefits Program provides a way to help protect our Firefighters and their families with this program."

The insurance covers cancers including bladder, blood, brain, breast, cervical, esophageal, intestinal, kidney, lymphatic, lung, prostate, rectum, respiratory tract, skin, testicular and thyroid. It will also cover leukemia, multiple myeloma, Hodgkin's lymphoma and non-Hodgkin's lymphoma.

There are two plans: the Basic Plan, which covers long-term disability (LTD) and the 21 cancers required by law, or the Enhanced Plan, which covers LTD and all known cancers. For the Town, option one would cost $1,155.84; option two would cost $1,249.92. The council voted to go with option two.

In other business, the council tabled a discussion on obtaining a grant from Cullman-Jefferson Counties Gas District. The amount Garden City can obtain from the grant is $303.90.

The council voted to move its next meeting to Feb. 10, 2020 at 6 p.m. at Garden City Town Hall.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR
Jan. 24 - 26

FRIDAY, JAN. 24

Danny Frasier's CD Release Party

- 7-10 p.m. at Goat Island Brewing, 1646-A John H Cooper Dr. SE, Cullman
- Danny Frasier will release his brand new CD "Country Fences" Jan. 24 at Goat Island Brewing. There will be a live concert with special guest singers. Come out and enjoy food, drinks and an evening of great entertainment.

Donny James Live

7:30-11:30 p.m. at Valley Tavern and Grille, 1710 Tally Ho St., Cullman

7th Ave Saints at Grumpy's

8 p.m.-midnight at Grumpy's Italian Grill, 402 Fifth St. SW, Cullman

SATURDAY, JAN. 25

Free Pancake Breakfast

Saturday, Jan. 25 from 8-10 a.m. at Mt. Nebo Baptist Church, 11 County Road 1273, Cullman, AL 35057

GOD MAKE US MEN of FAITH Men's Conference

- 10 a.m. at Valley Springs Baptist Church, 6979 County Road 437, Cullman, Alabama 35057
- Preachers will be Junior Garmon and William McClellan. Leading the singing will be Donnie Thomas with pianist Rex Seymore. Lunch will be provided.

Entrepreneur Event

- 10 a.m.-noon, 1528 Peachtree Lane NW, Cullman, AL 35058, hosted by the Cullman County Entrepreneurial Group
- Join us at the Peachtree Office Complex for our first Entrepreneur Event, a monthly event we will hold the last Saturday of each month. This Saturday's event will feature a guest speaker experienced in real estate, investing, and small business. We want to provide you with the resources you need for your business to succeed. Light refreshments provided.

Frosty Pines Golf Tournament

- 10 a.m.-2 p.m. at Terri Pines Country Club, 700 Pine Hill Dr., Cullman, Alabama 35057
- $20 per player plus cart fee- 2-Man Scramble-OPEN TO EVERYONE
- Call the pro shop at 256-739-0720 to sign up. Deadline to register is Friday, Jan. 24.

Trick Zipper at Grumpy's

- 7 p.m. at Grumpy's Italian Grill, 402 Fifth St. SW, Cullman
- First time for Trick Zipper to be in Cullman. Let's make it a good one.

Horizon Band at Goat Island

- 7 p.m. at Goat Island Brewing, 1646-A John H Cooper Dr. SE, Cullman
- Everyone come out as we return to Goat Island Brewing!

SUNDAY, JAN. 26

Special Needs Free Swim at the Aquatic Center

- 3-5 p.m. at the Cullman Wellness & Aquatic Center
- Free Swim Hosted by Cullman Parks, Recreation and Sports Tourism
- Free swim is for those with special needs and immediate family members. All guests must sign in at the CWAC front desk before entering the pool. Parents/guardians/caregivers must stay in the pool area at all times during the therapeutic recreation swim time.

MORE...

Spirit Life Church, 1650 St. Joseph Dr. NW, Cullman

- Sundays- Bus ministry picks up children, youth & adults in Cullman. Call 256-962-0013 on Saturday for Sunday pickup. Bus leaves church at 8:30 a.m. Free breakfast served at 9:30 a.m. Children, youth and adult Sunday School classes at 10 a.m. Church services, children's church and youth ministry at 10:45 a.m. Everyone welcome! Sunday p.m. services at 6 p.m. No bus ministry for p.m. services.
- Wednesdays- Prayer meeting at 6 p.m. Bible study class at 6:30 p.m. by Pam Dodd, Pastor Bobby Dodd and others.
- Thursdays- Jan. 30 6:30 p.m. "Find Your Kingdom Purpose" by Darlene Alvis. Snacks provided.

Introduction to Beekeeping

- Jan. 30, 4:30-7 p.m. at the North Alabama Agriplex, 1714 Talley Ho St., Cullman
- Taught by Alabama Beekeepers Association President Phillip Garrison; we will build a complete hive from foundation up, and it will be given as a door prize. Walk out and see the Agriplex bee hives and the learn the basics of beekeeping. $5 per person. To register go to www.Agriplex.org and click on the register tab. Follow the link to our new registration system RecDesk.

"Community First, a Home for the Homeless"

The Evelyn Burrow Museum at Wallace State Community College will present a free screening of "Community First, a Home for the Homeless," Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 6 p.m. in the Burrow Center Recital Hall.

Hydroponic Gardening Class

- Thursday, Feb. 6 from 6-8 p.m. at the North Alabama Agriplex, 1714 Tally Ho St. SW, Cullman
- The class will cover the basics of hydroponic gardening and will show you how to set up a small system. You will be provided a flier with steps to walk you through setup, along with a materials list of everything you will need for a seven-container system. The cost to attend the class will be $10 per person. Register in person at the Cullman County Extension office at 402 Arnold St. NE, Suite G1, Cullman or mail your registration check made out to the Cullman County Extension to that address. If you mail it put in a note that it is for the hydroponic class and the name of who is coming with an email if available.

24th Annual Big Band Dance

- Friday, Feb. 7 from 7-9 p.m. at Stone Bridge Farms, 281 County Road 717, Cullman
- Featuring the Cullman High School Jazz Band and honoring our WWII veterans
- Admission is $10. All ages welcome. This is not a chaperoned event. Kids younger 14 and younger require an adult chaperone.

17th Annual Empty Bowls of Cullman County

- Tickets are $10 and on sale now at Cullman Caring for Kids and First United Methodist Church.
- The dinner will be held Monday, Feb. 17 from 4-6:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church in Hearin Hall, 320 Third St. SE, Cullman.
- Dine-in, drive-thru or carry-out.
- Southern gospel entertainment by Enell Baker, Joyful Hearts, The Potentials and FUMC Gospel Singers.
- Proceeds benefit Cullman Caring for Kids.

CASA Open House

- Thursday, Feb. 20 from 5-8 p.m. at CASA, 402 Arnold St. NE Suite W-1, Cullman
- We would like to invite you to our Open House! We have so many exciting things happening this year! Come meet with our volunteers and case managers! This is the perfect time for questions! Come join us in fellowship and fun!!

Former Aggie standout Bryson Fletcher earns scholarship at Coastal Alabama

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BAY MINETTE, Ala. – There was big news from the Alabama coast last week for a former Fairview standout. After his teammates and coaches set up a surprise for him last Thursday, Bryson Fletcher was awarded an athletic scholarship with the Sun Chiefs of Coastal Alabama Community College. Fletcher joined the team as a walk-on after graduating from Fairview in 2018.

Bryson described the scene where he and his team were getting ready for their next opponent and he was hit with a very pleasant surprise.

"It was right before we went to play Wallace at Selma and we were all in the gym joking around on the microphone and everything. I was shooting free throws and I heard one of my teammates come over the PA system and said, "Bryson Fletcher, how would you like to be on scholarship?" at first I thought they were just messing with me because I didn't see my head coach standing beside him," Fletcher said. "I was like, 'you're joking' and then coach held up a pen. It was awesome, I was just so excited and I know I've worked hard since I've been here so coach giving me that made me feel like I'm doing what I need to do and I don't need to stop now."

Fletcher is enjoying his college basketball career, thanking his teammates, coaches and fans for the support. The Sun Chiefs lost back to back games going into Tuesday night's matchup with Lurleen B. Wallace, but Bryson was confident they would bounce back.

"I've got great teammates, great friends and great coaches. I wouldn't trade my coaches for anything, and the atmosphere is great with my friends here. At our home games, we have the best fans in the southern division and the best in the conference," Fletcher said. "So, I love playing here. I'm so glad to be here. We're 10-5 and in kind of a slump right now but we're coming out of it for sure. We'll just come together and we'll be alright."

Coastal Alabama rolled the Saints 93-58 later that night.

Former Aggies Head Coach Branch Whitlock was not as surprised as Bryson to hear the news. Whitlock has seen Fletcher's work ethic first-hand and knew he was capable of accomplishing this.

"Bryson is one of the hardest workers I've ever coached. He has always competed at the highest level. It comes as no surprise that he has worked his way into a scholarship. He is a coach's dream," Whitlock said. "He comes from a great family and has a strong faith in God. I'm sure his belief in himself never changes because his faith in God never wavered."

Whitlock got to see Fletcher's development as a player up close and saw him rise to meet whatever competition he faced in his time with the Aggies, particularly his senior season.

"We made the best run Fairview's boys have made in a while during his senior year when we beat defending state champion Mae Jemison and then played Wenonah at Wallace in the Regionals," Whitlock said. "We gave Wenonah fits in that game. Bryson probably played his best three or four games of the season at the end against the best competition. That's when I knew for sure he could play college basketball."

"It just made me feel so blessed. The first people I called were my mom and dad," Fletcher said. "They were excited too, my brother was excited of course and coach just told me that, 'This wasn't given, it was earned. You earned this.'. It was just an awesome moment. I'm so blessed."

Fletcher and the Sun Chiefs will travel to take on Coastal Alabama – North Thursday night at 7:30.



BRYSON FLETCHER

Fairview alum Bryson Fletcher received an athletic scholarship last Thursday after being surprised by his teammates and coaches.

CULLMAN COUNTY TOURNAMENT

(2) West Point advances to semifinals after handling (7) Holly Pond 78-65

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HANCEVILLE, Ala. – Wednesday night concluded with a varsity boys matchup between (2) West Point and (7) Holly Pond. After building an early lead against the Broncos, the Warriors had to withstand a huge third quarter rally by Holly Pond and they advanced to the semifinals with a 78-65 win over the Broncos.

Tyler White pulled down an offensive rebound and put it back in the basket with just two minutes coming off the clock. Holly Pond's Levi Boatright drilled a three from the left corner to give the Broncos a 3-2 lead, but an Aubry Cleghorn basket gave the Warriors a 4-3 lead. Kobe Bowers then drilled a pair from the line to make it 6-3 with five minutes remaining in the opening period. Tyler White then drilled a pair of threes and Will Cochran scored off a Broncos turnover to give them a double-digit lead at 14-3 with 3:58 remaining in the quarter. Kyler Chaney stopped the run with a layup to cut it to 14-5, but Cochran made it 17-5 on a layup. A White jump shot pushed the West Point lead to 21-7 late in the first period and the Warriors wound up taking a 25-12 lead into the second.

Tyler Thompson got the rebound and a put-back to give West Point a 27-12 lead early in the second quarter. A Thompson layup made it 31-12, but a three by the Broncos' Landon Rowell cut the deficit to 16 and three Chaney free throws then cut the lead to 13.

A Chaney layup made it a 35-22 game less than halfway into the quarter, but a Carter Thornton trey pushed the Warrior lead to 38-22. Jayden Perkins hit a layup to make it a 14-point contest but a Mason Walls three increased West Point's lead to 41-24. The Broncos later answered with a trey from Parker Sellers with 30 seconds left and Boatright drilled one from the top of the key just before the buzzer sounded to cut the deficit to 10 at 42-32 at the half.

Holly Pond chipped away at the lead early in the third quarter thanks in large part to six points from Chaney in the first three minutes that cut the lead to 44-40.

A fastbreak layup by Jaxon Olinger made it a two-point game, but White scored to make it 46-42 midway through the third quarter.

A Sellers basket made it 48-46 and a three late in the period by Jordan Allbright knotted the game up at 49, but Thompson converted a three-point play to give the Warriors a 52-49 lead and a Bowers floater pushed their lead to 59-49. An and-one by Cochran pushed the lead to 62-49 in the final seconds of the third and West Point went into the fourth quarter leading Holly Pond by 11.

An Olinger trey cut the lead to eight, but White countered with one of his own to make it an 11-point game again. Boatright made it a nine-point contest with a layup.

Another Olinger trey made it 66-59, but Cochran got a layup to fall on the other end to make it a nine-point game.

Cochran nailed a floater to make it 70-59 and later added an and-one to make it a 74-61 game. A Cleghorn layup made it 78-63 and the Warriors wound up taking the game 78-65 to advance to the semifinals where they will take on (3) Cold Springs on Friday night at 7:30.

Cochran finished the game with 26 points for West Point. White added 15, Cleghorn ended up with 11 and Bowers finished with nine. For Holly Pond, Chaney finished with 30 points, Boatright ended up with 12, Olinger added eight and Sellers finished with five.



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West Point's Will Cochran (0) led the Warriors with 26 points in their 78-65 win over Holly Pond Wednesday night.

CULLMAN COUNTY TOURNAMENT

(4) Good Hope pulls away to defeat (5) Holly Pond 56-43 and advance to semifinals

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HANCEVILLE, Ala. – The middle seeds in this year's varsity girls bracket faced off in Wednesday night's first county tournament matchup and it was a heated battle between the Good Hope Lady Raiders and Lady Broncos of Holly Pond. After a tight first half, the Lady Raiders cranked things up on the defensive end and pulled away with a 56-43 win over Holly Pond to advance to the semifinals.

The Lady Broncos got off to a 5-0 start early in the opening quarter but Good Hope responded and cut the lead to 6-5 midway through the first with a three-pointer from Ivey Maddox. Holly Pond began to create more separation after that and a three from Sarah Finley made it 11-5 late in the period. A three from Kaylee Stallings then gave the Lady Broncos a 14-7 lead with less than a minute remaining in the first. Both teams managed to score in the final seconds of the period after Savanna Derrick turned a steal in two quick points and Finley drilled another three at the buzzer to put Holly Pond in front 17-11 at the end of the first quarter.

The Lady Raiders were able to cut into the lead early in the second and an impressive and-one finish by Bailey Tetro made it 19-17 early in the period. A basket by Quincey Marks gave the Lady Broncos a 25-22 advantage with just under four minutes to play in the half but a baseline floater from Heather Tetro made it a 1-point around the two-minute mark of the second quarter.

Maddox scored off a steal to give Good Hope a 26-25 lead late in the period, but Finley answered with another three from the left corner to put Holly Pond back in front by two. Finley wasn't done. She knocked down one more triple with less than a minute to play in the half to give the Lady Broncos a 31-27 lead at the break. Finley racked up 19 points in the opening half.

Holly Pond maintained a 33-28 lead early in the third quarter but another and-one play finished at the line by Bailey Tetro cut the lead to two with just under five minutes to play in the period. A floater by Maddox and a pair of free throws from Savannah Derrick gave the Lady Raiders a 35-33 lead midway through the third and back to back baskets from Bailey Tetro and Cayleigh Garmon made it a 39-33 game with just over two minutes to play in the quarter.

Abby Neighbors laid one in under the basket to give Good Hope a 41-36 lead late in the third and the Lady Raiders led the way 42-38 going into the final frame.

A Heather Tetro basket stretched the lead to six at the start of the fourth quarter and Maddox buried another three from the right wing to make it a 47-39 game with six minutes remaining. A Stallings basket cut the lead to eight with just over five minutes to play but Maddox added three more points on the other end from the top of the key to give the Lady Raiders a 52-41 advantage. Two more buckets from Garmon and Maddox extended the lead to 56-43 with under two minutes to play and Good Hope held on to defeat the Lady Broncos 56-43. Holly Pond was held to just 10 points in the second half.

Ivey Maddox led the way for the Lady Raiders with 17 points in the win. Garmon finished with 13, Bailey Tetro added 12 and Heather Tetro and Derrick each posted five. Finley led all scorers with 22 points in the loss for the Lady Broncos. Elizabeth Miller added nine and Stallings finished with seven.

Good Hope will face the top-seeded Cold Springs Lady Eagles in the semifinals Thursday night at 6:15.



NICK GRIFFIN/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

Good Hope's Ivey Maddox (11) finished with 17 points in the Lady Raiders' 56-43 win over Holly Pond Wednesday night.

LEGAL

Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given to all owners, secured parties and lienholders of the following described motor vehicles, which I have a right to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, in accordance with the State of Alabama abandoned motor vehicle law, Statues, Chapter 13, Section 1-8, Title 32 and Alabama Law Act Number 83-494-S-80, as per Legislative Act 2015-470:

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A juvenile eastern indigo snake was recently discovered in Conecuh National Forest, which is the first evidence of reproduction in Alabama in more than 60 years. Alabama Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries' Traci Wood and Jim Godwin of Auburn University's Alabama Natural Heritage Program show off the young eastern indigo. Godwin, who has been instrumental in the reintroduction of eastern indigos, releases an adult snake near a gopher tortoise burrow in Conecuh National Forest.

Traci Wood admitted holding the snake almost made her come unglued. No, she wasn't afraid of the snake she was holding. It was the magnitude of the moment.

Wood, the Habitat and Species Conservation Coordinator with the Alabama Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries (WFF) Division, had in her hands the first wild eastern indigo snake documented in Alabama in more than 60 years.

"I'm not embarrassed to say that I was shaking when I held that animal," Wood said. "This is a monumental benchmark in conservation for Alabama and the southeast region for this species.

"It's a big deal, extremely big. It's big for recovery efforts of a federally listed threatened species. It's the first documentation of a wild snake in more than 60 years in Alabama. It's proof that what we are doing through reintroduction is working and that captive snakes are acting like wild snakes after they are released."

Chris Blankenship, Commissioner of the Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources echoed the importance of the achievement.

"I am thrilled that we have documented wild reproduction of the eastern indigo," Commissioner Blankenship said.

"It is great for the species, but I am also really happy for Traci and the staff who have worked for years to make this happen. They truly have a passion for their work, and I am so thankful for them."

Technicians from the Auburn School of Forestry and Wildlife Sciences and the Auburn Museum of Natural History were out looking for documentation of indigo snakes as part of the long-term program to re-establish viable populations of eastern indigos in their native habitat, mainly in longleaf pine forests in central and south Alabama.

"We try to document how long they are living, how far they are moving and how they're doing healthwise," Wood said. "The technicians were out and came across the snake as part of the monitoring effort. It was really no different than the monitoring we do for the released snakes. We're out there assessing and trying to document their survival.

"There's always the hope that we will find documentation of reproduction, and it finally happened."

Wood said the technicians knew immediately what they had discovered when the snake was picked up.

"They knew because it was a hatchling-size snake," she said. "It measured 2 feet in length, which is much smaller than the snakes we release from OCIC (Oriannе Center for Indigo Conservation).

"It had no PIT (passive integrated transponder) tag or any indication we use in monitoring to indicate it was a released snake.

"Those released snakes are 5 feet in length or longer. They estimated the juvenile indigo at about 7 months old. It probably hatched in July or August."

The eastern indigo project started in 2006, and the program was able to start releasing captive-raised indigos in 2010 with 17 adult snakes released into the Conecuh National Forest. The goal is to release a total of 300 snakes to improve the chances of establishing a viable population. The project team has released 170 snakes to date. Wood said the decision-making and planning for indigo recovery through reintroductions started with late Auburn University professor Dr. Dan Speake in the 1970s and 1980s.

"It's been a long process with a lot of sweat," Wood said. "We have faced some criticism along the way. Then, when what you have hoped for happens, it's extremely rewarding and overwhelming."

During the early days of the indigo project, the released snakes were propagated from indigos that had been captured in the wild in Georgia.

Partners in this project include Auburn Museum of Natural History, Auburn School of Forestry and Wildlife Sciences, U.S. Forest Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Zoo Tampa, Zoo Atlanta, the Georgia Department of Natural Resources and the U.S. Army's Fort Stewart, as well as the OCIC at the Central Florida Zoo, where the captive indigo breeding and health care are handled.

"We're kind of at the halfway mark in the reintroduction," Wood said. "It's very exciting to see verification of reproduction at this stage of the project.

"It's a huge testimony to the State Wildlife Grants program and working toward the recovery of a federally listed species. It is considered an experimental population. We were conducting research and making decisions that had never been done before with this species.

"It was a lot of groundbreaking work. Florida now has a reintroduction program, and a lot of their work is based on what we've done at Conecuh and lessons learned at Conecuh. Besides aquatic species, there isn't another example of species recovery of a federally listed species through reintroductions."

Wood said the lessons included that a learning curve is a given with a project of this magnitude and that 2-year-old snakes have a better chance of survival in the wild because they are less susceptible to predators.

"We also learned the target for the number of individuals to be released," she said. "That is 30 individuals per year. We've learned that we had to establish a monitoring program that didn't exist before. We learned it takes intense monitoring on the ground."

One of the tools the monitoring team borrowed from the hunting community is the game camera. The game cameras have been stationed to monitor activity at gopher tortoise burrows, which are utilized by a number of animals, including indigos.

"We had to learn that a snake is not going to trigger motion sensitivity on the game cameras," Wood said.

"We set the cameras to capture a photo at intervals of 30 to 60 seconds to make sure we capture all the activity. That's something we've recently started, and so far, it's proven to be very helpful. We've captured pictures of several indigos at burrows.

"The cameras are showing location, where they're hanging out, how they're using burrows and the fact adult snakes are surviving.

"We estimate that 60 to 80 percent of the snakes that we reintroduce will survive. That's not bad at all after they've been in captivity for two years."

Wood said it is not possible right now to estimate the total number of eastern indigo snakes that are in the Conecuh habitat.

"These recaptures and verification of reproduction is data that will be useful in the future so that someday we may be able to predict how many individuals may be in the wild," she said.

Wood said eastern indigos were extirpated from the state and hadn't been seen since the 1950s.

Considered an apex predator, the snake plays an important role in the longleaf pine ecosystem. eastern indigo snakes are the longest snakes native to the U.S. at more than 8 feet long.

They prey on a variety of small mammals, amphibians, lizards and numerous species of venomous snakes, including the copperhead.

Indigos are known to range far and wide during the warmer months and then seek refuge in the gopher tortoise burrows during the winter.

WFF's State Wildlife Action Plan identifies 366 species that are in the category of greatest conservation need, according to Wood.

"Alabama is one of the most diverse states in the nation in terms of amphibians and reptiles," she said. "Conecuh National Forest is the most biologically rich public land in the country."

Wood is still having a little trouble grasping what happened recently at Conecuh National Forest.

"Physically holding a wild species that hasn't been documented in Alabama in more than 60 years gives us high hopes for what we may see when we reach our goal of 300 snakes released," she said.





BUSINESS

Regions hosting Financial Fitness Fridays event in Cullman Jan. 31

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BIRMINGHAM, Ala. – Sometimes, it's hard to see past the next bill coming due. And it can be overwhelming to look ahead to expenses that will come later in the year. But the 2020 Financial Fitness Fridays program at Regions Bank is designed to help change that.

Now in its eighth year, Financial Fitness Fridays will last through January at Regions branches across the Southeast, Midwest and Texas. Locally, Regions is hosting fun and interactive events offering financial checkups and one-on-one advice.

Regions will host an event in Cullman Friday, Jan. 31 at the Regions Bank main branch, 711 Second Ave. SW.

The focus here is budgeting basics. No matter where you are in life, the time to prepare for your financial future is now. And no matter how much, or how little, you have to work with, there are steps you can take to begin reaching your long-term goals. From 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Regions personnel will be available to go over the essentials of crafting a personal budget with advice and guidance customized to individuals' needs.

You don't have to be a Regions customer to participate; these events are open to anyone.

"This is a time of year when many people are already taking a close look at their finances, and it gives us a chance to connect with people and offer insights that can help them build their savings, reduce debts, and achieve greater financial security," explained Jason Epstein, Consumer Performance executive for Regions. "We have a year-round commitment to advancing financial wellness for our customers and in our communities. The Financial Fitness Fridays program gives us a unique opportunity to raise awareness of the resources available to anyone seeking to improve their financial health in the new year."

Regions also offers updated financial education content through the Next Step Financial Learning Center on regions.com.

One of Next Step's newest features, called "Raising a Financially Fit Family," provides insights on building financial success throughout life's major milestones. Topics include teaching children and teens about money management, balancing the family budget, saving for college, and more.

Next Step articles, budgeting calculators, and checklists are available for free to anyone without needing to have a Regions account or online banking login.

Additionally, financial guidance is shared consistently through the @RegionsNews Twitter handle and the bank's news website, regions.doingmoretoday.com. Video content is available through the Regions Financial YouTube channel.

LIST: Kid-friendly specials from area restaurants

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CULLMAN, Ala. – Cullman restaurants bring a variety of options to the table when it comes to eating out as a family. Below are some kid-friendly restaurants that have budget-friendly specials for families. Know of one we missed? Email maggie@cullmantribune.com.

Shrimp Basket
- Located at 716 Second Ave. NW, Cullman, AL 35055
- Kids 12 and younger eat free Wednesdays. (One kid per adult entrée purchased. Dine-in only. Cannot be combined with another special or discount. Free item chosen from kids' menu.)
- Wednesday hours are 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m.

Augusta's Sports Grill
- Located at 609 Graham St. SW, Cullman, AL 35055
- Kids eat free Tuesday nights.
- Tuesday hours are 4-10 p.m.

Moe's Original BBQ
- Located at 318 First Ave. SE, Cullman, AL 35055
- Kids eat for half price Sundays.
- Sunday hours are 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Sweet Peppers Deli
- Located at 303 Second Ave. NW, Cullman, AL 35055
- Kids eat for 50¢ Monday nights.
- Monday hours are 10:30 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

Buffalo Wild Wings
- Located at 1700 Second Ave. SW B, Cullman, AL 35055
- Wednesday nights- $2.99 kids' meal with purchase of adult entrée.
- Wednesday hours are 11 a.m.-10 p.m.

Pasquale's Pizza
- Located at 915 Second Ave. NW, Cullman, AL 35055
- Children 4 and younger eat free with purchase of adult buffet.
- Hours are:
- Tuesday-Friday 10:30 a.m.-9 p.m.
- Saturday and Sunday 11 a.m. -9 p.m.
- Closed Mondays

Golden Corral Buffet & Grill
- Located at 1720 Cherokee Ave. SW, Cullman, AL 35055
- Children 3 and younger eat free all day every day.
- Hours are:
- Monday-Thursday 10 a.m.-9 p.m.
- Friday 8 a.m.-9:30 p.m.
- Saturday 7:30 a.m.-10 p.m.
- Sunday 7:30 a.m.-9 p.m.

Applebee's Grill & Bar
- Located at 2106 Cherokee Ave. SW, Cullman, AL 35055
- Tuesday $1.99 kids' meals
- Tuesday hours are 11 a.m.-midnight

Ruby Tuesday
- Located at 6076 Alabama Highway 157, Cullman, AL 35055
- Kids eat free Tuesdays from 5-10 p.m.

Logan's Roadhouse
- Located at 6092 Alabama Highway 157, Cullman, AL 35058
- On Wednesdays, kids eat free all day with purchase of adult entrée.
- Wednesday hours are 11 a.m.-10 p.m.

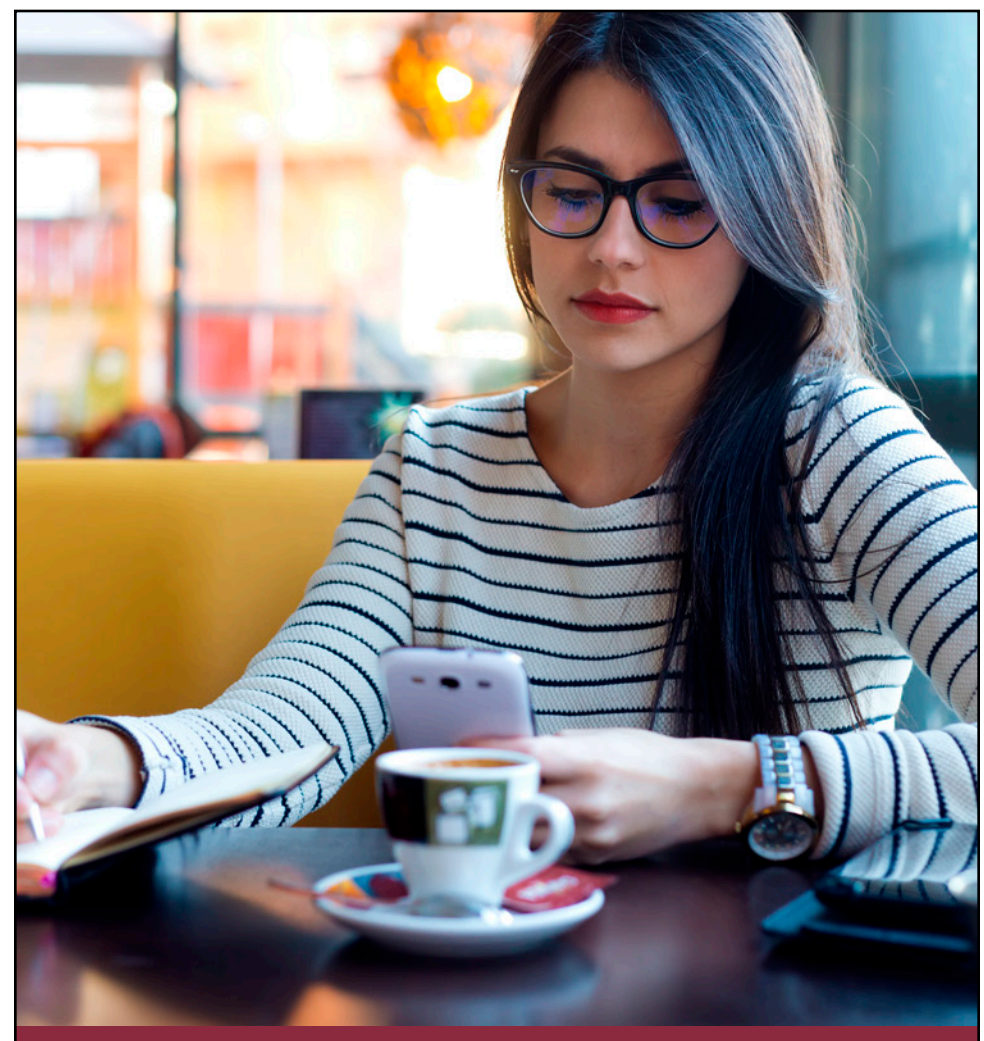
Rock N Roll Sushi
- Located at 1900 Markt-Platz Center SW, Cullman, AL 35055
- On Thursdays, kids 12 and younger eat free with the purchase of an adult entrée. Adult entrée must cost minimum of $10.
- Thursday hours are 11 a.m.-9 p.m.

Zaxby's
- Located at 622 Olive St. SW, Cullman, AL 35055 and 5751 Alabama Highway 157, Cullman, AL 35058
- Tuesday nights are kids' nights- 99¢ kids' meals.
- Tuesday hours are 10:30 a.m.-9 p.m.

Jersey Mike's Subs
- Located at 1850 Cherokee Ave. SW suite C, Cullman, AL 35055
- On Sundays, kids eat free all day.
- Sunday hours are 10 a.m.-9 p.m.







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Sports

6:00 a.m. FSEE College Basketball St. Louis at Davidson.
8:00 a.m. FSEE College Wrestling West Virginia at Oklahoma.
10:30 a.m. GOLF LPGA Tour Golf Gainbridge at Boca Rio, Second Round. (Live)
11:00 a.m. FSEE Women's College Gymnastics Arkansas at Oklahoma.
12:00 p.m. ESPN2 2020 Australian Open Tennis Third Round. (Same-day Tape)
1:30 p.m. FSEE Sports Stars of Tomorrow
2:00 p.m. GOLF PGA Tour Golf Farmers Insurance Open, Second Round. (Live)
5:30 p.m. FSEE Sports Stars of Tomorrow
6:00 p.m. FS1 College Basketball Wisconsin at Purdue. (Live)
6:30 p.m. ESPN2 Women's College Gymnastics LSU at Florida. (Live)
7:00 p.m. WVTM Figure Skating U.S. Championships: Senior Ladies Free Skate. (Live)
WBRC WWE Friday Night SmackDown (Live)
ESPN NBA Basketball Los Angeles Clippers at Miami Heat. (Live)
FSEE NBA Basketball Atlanta Hawks at Oklahoma City Thunder. (Live)
GOLF PGA Tour Golf Farmers Insurance Open, Second Round.
8:00 p.m. ESPN2 2020 Australian Open Tennis Third Round. (Live)
FS1 College Basketball Marquette at Butler. (Live)
9:35 p.m. ESPN X Games Aspen 2020. (Live)
10:30 p.m. FSEE NBA Basketball Atlanta Hawks at Oklahoma City Thunder.

Movies

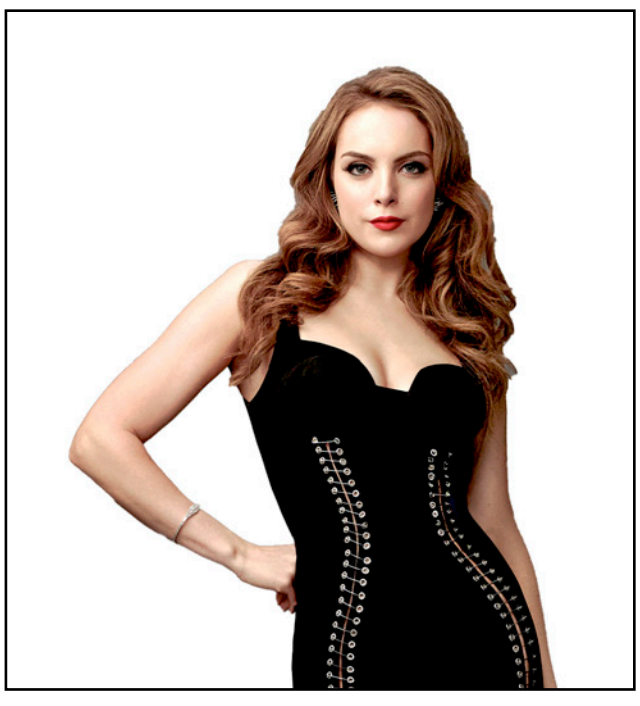
6:00 a.m. FX "Everest" ★★★ (2015) Jason Clarke. Climbers from two expeditions fight for survival during a fierce blizzard on Mount Everest.
6:45 a.m. SHOW "Stardust" ★★★ (2007) Claire Danes To win the heart of his beloved, a young man ventures into the realm of fairies to retrieve a fallen star.
7:10 a.m. HBO "Nine Months" ★★ (1995) Hugh Grant
7:15 a.m. TCM "Doctor, You've Got to Be Kidding" ★★½ (1967) Sandra Dee.
8:00 a.m. AMC "Night at the Museum: Battle of the Smithsonian" ★★½ (2009) Ben Stiller.
8:27 a.m. MAX "The Adjustment Bureau" ★★½ (2011) Matt Damon
9:00 a.m. TCM "Promise Her Anything" ★★★ (1966) Warren Beatty. An adult-film maker sits for a widow's baby while she woos a child psychologist who cannot stand kids.
SHOW "Stand by Me" ★★★★ (1986) Wil Wheaton A boy and his three buddies set out in the summer of 1959 on a hike to find a dead body.
10:00 a.m. FX "War for the Planet of the Apes" ★★★½ (2017) Andy Serkis. A ruthless colonel leads his troops in a deadly battle against Caesar and his army of intelligent apes.
10:15 a.m. MAX "The Big Year" ★★½ (2011) Steve Martin
10:30 a.m. AMC "X-Men 2" ★★★ (2003) Patrick Stewart. After a mutant-hating militarist named Stryker invades their school, the X-Men must join forces with Magneto to rescue Professor Xavier and neutralize the threat posed by Stryker.
FREE "The BFG" ★★★ (2016) Mark Rylance. A 10-year-old girl, Queen Victoria and the Big Friendly Giant must devise a plan to get rid of Bloodbottler, Fleshlumpeater and all the other bad giants once and for all.
HBO "Welcome to Marwen" ★★ (2018) Steve Carell
SHOW "Five Feet Apart" ★★ (2019) Haley Lu Richardson
10:45 a.m. TCM "Sunday in New York" ★★★ (1963) Cliff Robertson. An innocent upstater visits her airline-pilot brother and meets a stranger she tries to seduce.
12:30 p.m. SHOW "Second Act" ★★ (2018) Jennifer Lopez
12:45 p.m. TCM "The Chapman Report" ★★½ (1962) Efrem Zimbalist Jr..
1:00 p.m. FREE "Beetlejuice" ★★★ (1988) Michael Keaton. A ghoul helps a newly dead couple haunt the tasteless new owners of their beloved home.
FX "Only the Brave" ★★★ (2017) Josh Brolin. The Granite Mountain Hotshots become one of the most elite firefighting teams in the country. Watching over lives, homes and everything people hold dear, they forge a unique brotherhood that comes into focus with one fateful fire in Yarnell, Ariz.
1:30 p.m. AMC "X-Men: First Class" ★★★ (2011) James McAvoy. Charles Xavier and Erik Lehnsherr work with other mutants to prevent a nuclear nightmare, but a situation soon tears the close friends apart.
1:35 p.m. MAX "Super Troopers 2" ★★ (2018) Jay Chandrasekhar
2:00 p.m. HBO "Scary Movie 3" ★★ (2003) Anna Faris
TMC "When a Stranger Calls" ★★ (2006) Camilla Belle
3:00 p.m. TCM "Any Wednesday" ★★★ (1966) Jane Fonda. Another guy spoils a married New York businessman's tax-deductible weekly visits to his mistress.
3:15 p.m. MAX "Heartbreakers" ★★½ (2001) Sigourney Weaver
3:30 p.m. TMC "Extraterrestrial" ★★ (2014) Brittany Allen
4:00 p.m. CMTV "The Guardian" ★★½ (2006) Kevin Costner.
FX "The Amazing Spider-Man" ★★★ (2012) Andrew Garfield. Peter Parker's quest to solve his parents' disappearance puts him on a collision course with a scientist's deadly alter ego, the Lizard.
HBO "Spanglish" ★★½ (2004) Adam Sandler
SHOW "Tyler Perry's the Family That Preys" ★★½ (2008) Kathy Bates
4:30 p.m. AMC "Jack the Giant Slayer" ★★ (2013) Nicholas Hoult.
5:00 p.m. FREE "Paul Blart: Mall Cop" ★★ (2009) Kevin James.
LIFE "Just Wright" ★★½ (2010) Queen Latifah.
TCM "Boys' Night Out" ★★★ (1962) Kim Novak. Would-be swingers Fred, George, Doug and Howard share a sexy blonde who's secretly doing a thesis on men.
5:15 p.m. TMC "Faster" ★★ (2010) Dwayne Johnson
5:20 p.m. MAX "Tag" ★★½ (2018) Ed Helms
5:30 p.m. BET "New Jack City" ★★★ (1991) Wesley Snipes. Undercover officers and their boss target the king of a high-tech New York crack syndicate, the CMB.
E! "Step Up" ★★ (2006) Channing Tatum.
6:00 p.m. TBS "The Legend of Tarzan" ★★ (2016) Alexander Skarsgard.
SHOW "Five Feet Apart" ★★ (2019) Haley Lu Richardson
7:00 p.m. AMC "I Am Legend" ★★★ (2007) Will Smith. After a man-made plague transforms Earth's population into bloodthirsty vampires, a lone survivor desperately searches for a cure.
CMTV "Speed" ★★★½ (1994) Keanu Reeves. A SWAT team ace must keep the speed of a Santa Monica bus above 50 mph, or a madman's bomb will explode.
FX "Ride Along 2" ★★ (2016) Ice Cube.
LIFE "Diary of a Mad Black Woman" ★★ (2005) Kimberly Elise.
TNT "Avengers: Age of Ultron" ★★★ (2015) Robert Downey Jr.. When Tony Stark's jumpstart of a dormant peacekeeping program goes awry, the Avengers must reassemble to battle a terrifying technological villain hell-bent on human extinction.
USA "Captain America: Civil War" ★★★ (2016) Chris Evans. Black Widow and Hawkeye must pick a side when a feud between Captain America and Iron Man leaves the Avengers in turmoil.
7:05 p.m. MAX "Night School" ★★ (2018) Kevin Hart (Premiere)
7:15 p.m. HBO "The Nun" ★★ (2018) Demián Bichir
7:30 p.m. E! "Wedding Crashers" ★★★ (2005) Owen Wilson. Two divorce mediators spend a wild weekend partying with a politician and his eccentric family.
8:00 p.m. SHOW "On the Basis of Sex" ★★½ (2018) Felicity Jones
8:30 p.m. TBS "Hellboy II: The Golden Army" ★★★ (2008) Ron Perlman. Hellboy and his team face an underworld prince who plans to awaken a lethal army and use it to reclaim Earth for his magical kindred.
8:35 p.m. TMC "Confessions of a Dangerous Mind" ★★★ (2002) Sam Rockwell Chuck Barris produces game shows for television and leads a double life as a CIA assassin.
9:00 p.m. AMC "Safe House" ★★½ (2012) Denzel Washington.
TCM "Farewell, My Lovely" ★★★ (1975) Robert Mitchum. Premiere. Ex-convict Moose Malloy wants 1940s Los Angeles private eye Phillip Marlowe to find his girlfriend, Velma.
9:03 p.m. LIFE "Madea's Family Reunion" ★★½ (2006) Tyler Perry.
9:30 p.m. CMTV "The Guardian" ★★½ (2006) Kevin Costner.
FX "Ride Along 2" ★★ (2016) Ice Cube.
10:00 p.m. E! "Just Friends" ★★½ (2005) Ryan Reynolds.
TNT "Star Wars: The Phantom Menace" ★★ (1999) Liam Neeson.
10:30 p.m. TMC "The Singing Detective" ★★ (2003) Robert Downey Jr.
10:40 p.m. MAX "Shanghai Knights" ★★★ (2003) Jackie Chan With help from his sister and a friend, a martial-arts master travels to London to find his father's murderer.

FRIDAY EVENING — JANUARY 24, 2020

MOVIES

		5 PM	5:30	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30
WABM-MyTV	2	25 Words or Less (N)	America Says	Family Feud	Family Feud	Dateline The death of a young mother in Ohio.		CSI: Miami "F-T-F" Re-creating a bizarre double murder.		CSI: Miami "Wheels Up" A murder at a roller derby match.		Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing
WBIQ-PBS	4	Ready Jet Go! (El)	Peg & Cat (El)	PBS NewsHour (N)		Washington Week (N)	Capitol Journal		Country Music "I Can't Stop Loving You (1953-1963)" The age of rockabilly.				Antiques Roadshow
WVTM-NBC	5	WVTM 13 News at 5p (N)	NBC Nightly News - Holt	WVTM 13 News at 6p (N)	WVTM 13 News at 6:3	Figure Skating U.S. Championships: Senior Ladies Free Skate. From Greensboro, N.C. (N) (Live)						WVTM 13 News at 10p	Tonight Show-J. Fallon
WBRC-FOX	7	WBRC FOX6 News at 5pm	WBRC FOX6 News	WBRC FOX6 News at 6pm	Inside Edition (N)	WWE Friday Night SmackDown (N) (Live)				WBRC FOX6 News at 9pm	WBRC FOX6 News	WBRC FOX6 News at 10pm	(:35) TMZ (N)
WIAT-CBS	8	CBS42 News 5pm (N)	CBS Evening News	CBS42 News 6pm (N)	Entertainment Tonight (N)	Hawaii Five-0 A pyramid scheme scammer is murdered.		Magnum P.I. Magnum and Higgins get "yacht-jacked."		Blue Bloods Frank tries to help his ex-partner.		CBS42 News 10pm (N)	Late Show-Colbert
WTTO-CW	9	The Goldbergs "Spaceballs"	2 Broke Girls	The Big Bang Theory	The Big Bang Theory	Charmed Macy and Harry confront their feelings. (N)		Dynasty Anders seeks help finding Kirby. (N)		Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	The Andy Griffith Show	The Andy Griffith Show
WPXH-ION	11	NCIS: Los Angeles Callen works a kidnapping case.		NCIS: Los Angeles The case of a murdered drug dealer.		NCIS: Los Angeles An unmanned vehicle kills a Marine.		NCIS: Los Angeles An Iraqi businessman is murdered.		NCIS: Los Angeles "Killshot" Secrets to classified software.		NCIS: Los Angeles Wealthy bachelor falls to his death.	
WABM2-ABC	12	ABC 33/40 News at 5PM	ABC World News	ABC 33/40 News at 6PM	Wheel of Fortune (N)	American Housewife (N)	Fresh Off the Boat (N)	20/20				ABC 33/40 News at 10PM	Jimmy Kimmel Live!
A&E	42	(4:00) Live PD "Live PD -- 01.18.20"				(:06) Live PD: Rewind "Live PD: Rewind No. 295" (N)		Live PD "Live PD -- 01.24.20" (N) (Live)					
AMC	53	(4:30) ★★ "Jack the Giant Slayer" (2013) Nicholas Hoult. A young farmhand must defend his land from fearsome giants.				★★★ "I Am Legend" (2007, Science Fiction) Will Smith, Alice Braga. Bloodthirsty plague victims surround a lone survivor.				★★ "Safe House" (2012, Action) Denzel Washington. A rookie and a renegade operative try to evade assassins.			
ANPL	47	Tanked Theater-themed tank for Jeff Dunham.		Tanked An elegant tank for Sherri Shepherd.		(:01) Tanked: Sea-Lebrity Edition (N)				(:01) Tanked Tanks for Gabriel 'Fluffy' Iglesias.		(:01) Tanked Zen-like fish tank for Bill Engvall.	
BET	55	Martin "Credit Card Blues"	★★★ "New Jack City" (1991, Crime Drama) Wesley Snipes, Ice-T, Judd Nelson. Two street-smart cops try to bust a venomous drug lord.					Tyler Perry's The Oval "Hidden Secrets" Family chaos erupts.		Tyler Perry's Sistas "All I Got" Gary's secrets are revealed.		To Be Announced	
BRAVO	58	(:08) Meet the Frasers	(:39) Meet the Frasers	(:10) Chrisley Knows Best	(:41) Chrisley Knows Best	(:12) Chrisley Knows Best	(:43) Chrisley Knows Best	(:14) Chrisley Knows Best	(:45) Chrisley Knows Best "A Play in a Manger"		(:16) Chrisley Knows Best	(9:47) Chrisley Knows Best	(:18) Chrisley Knows Best
CMTV	61	(4:00) ★★ "The Guardian" (2006, Drama) Kevin Costner. A Coast Guard trainer makes a swimming champ his protege.				★★★ "Speed" (1994, Action) Keanu Reeves, Dennis Hopper, Sandra Bullock. A transit bus is wired to explode if it drops below 50 mph.					★★ "The Guardian" (2006, Drama) Kevin Costner, Ashton Kutcher, Sela Ward.		
CNBC	35	Mad Money (N)		Shark Tank Kids and teenagers present ideas.		Shark Tank Almond water beverage line.		Shark Tank Sleep-away camp for adults.		Shark Tank Seafood breading; an improved bathrobe.		The Profit Marcus travels to a flood-ravaged town.	
CNN	37	The Senate Trial of Donald J. Trump (N) (Live)		Erin Burnett OutFront Impeachment Trial special coverage. (N)		Anderson Cooper 360 (N)		Cuomo Prime Time Impeachment Trial special coverage. (N)		CNN Tonight With Don Lemon (N)		Anderson Cooper 360 (N)	
COM	56	(:15) South Park "TSST!"		(5:50) South Park	(:25) South Park	South Park	South Park	The Comedy Central Roast "Rob Lowe" Celebrities roast Rob Lowe.				Bill Burr Presents-Ringers	South Park "The Entity"
DISN	49	Gabby Duran	(:35) Raven's Home	(:05) Raven's Home	(:35) Bunk'd	Bunk'd (N)	Gabby Duran	(7:50) The Owl House (N)	Gabby Duran	Coop & Cami Ask the World	Sydney to the Max	(9:55) Bunk'd	Gabby Duran
DSC	43	Gold Rush "Nuggets or Bust" Rick brings in a secret weapon.		Gold Rush: Pay Dirt Rick gets thrown a lifeline. (N)		Gold Rush "Fortune Favors the Bold" (N)						(:01) Outback Opal Hunters "Wild Wild West" (N)	
E!	21	(4:30) Botched	★★ "Step Up" (2006, Musical) Channing Tatum, Jenna Dewan. A troubled guy's dancing attracts the attention of a ballerina.				★★★ "Wedding Crashers" (2005, Comedy) Owen Wilson, Vince Vaughn, Christopher Walken. Partygoers spend a wild weekend with a politician's family.					★★ "Just Friends" (2005) Ryan Reynolds, Amy Smart.	
ESPN	29	SportsCenter (N) (Live)		NBA Countdown (N) (Live)		NBA Basketball Los Angeles Clippers at Miami Heat. From the AmericanAirlines Arena in Miami. (N) (Live)					(:35) X Games Aspen 2020. From Aspen, Colo. (N) (Live)		
ESPN2	30	Daily Wager (N) (Live)		UFC Main Event	Women's College Gymnastics LSU at Florida. (N) (Live)			2020 Australian Open Tennis Third Round. From Melbourne, Australia. (N) (Live)					
FOOD	45	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives
FREE	48	★★ "Paul Blart: Mall Cop" (2009) Kevin James. A security officer confronts bad guys at a suburban New Jersey mall.				Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy "Pal Stewie"	Family Guy	The 700 Club Amazing stories of God helping people. (N)	
FS1	20	Elite Youth	FS1 College Hoops Tip-Off	College Basketball Wisconsin at Purdue. From Mackey Arena in West Lafayette, Ind. (N) (Live)				College Basketball Marquette at Butler. From Hinkle Fieldhouse in Indianapolis. (N) (Live)				FS1 College Hoops Extra	Elite Youth (N)
FSEE	32	Georgia Tech Basketball	Sports Stars of Tomorrow	Pro Football Weekly (N)	Hawks Live! Pregame (N)	NBA Basketball Atlanta Hawks at Oklahoma City Thunder. From Chesapeake Energy Arena in Oklahoma City. (N) (Live)					Hawks Live! Postgame (N)	Hawks 4th Quarter	NBA Basketball
FX	28	(4:00) ★★★ "The Amazing Spider-Man" (2012) Andrew Garfield. Peter Parker investigates his parents' disappearance.				★★ "Ride Along 2" (2016, Comedy) Ice Cube, Kevin Hart, Tika Sumpter. Lawmen James Payton and Ben Barber pursue a Miami drug lord.					★★ "Ride Along 2" (2016, Comedy) Ice Cube, Kevin Hart, Tika Sumpter.		
GOLF	82	PGA Tour Golf Farmers Insurance Open, Second Round. (N)		Golf Central (N) (Live)		PGA Tour Golf Farmers Insurance Open, Second Round. Rory McIlroy, Phil Mickelson and Tiger Woods are scheduled to compete.							
HALL	72	"Love, Fall & Order" (2019, Romance-Comedy) Drew Fuller, Trevor Donovan. A woman heads back to her hometown.				"One Winter Weekend" (2018, Romance) Taylor Cole, Jack Turner. A man and woman are forced to share a ski chalet.				"Write Before Christmas" (2019) Torrey DeVitto, Chad Michael Murray. Jessica sends Christmas cards to five people.			
HGTV	46	My Lottery Dream Home	My Lottery Dream Home	My Lottery Dream Home	My Lottery Dream Home	My Lottery Dream Home	My Lottery Dream Home	My Lottery Dream Home: 100 Dreams and Counting (N)		My Lottery Dream Home	My Lottery Dream Home	My Lottery Dream Home	My Lottery Dream Home
HIST	40	Ancient Aliens "Aliens B.C."		Ancient Aliens Using technology to detect pyramids.		Ancient Aliens: Declassified "Secret Alien Codes" Human hieroglyphs and secrets. (N)							
LIFE	23	★★ "Just Wright" (2010, Romance-Comedy) Queen Latifah, Common. A physical therapist falls in love with her patient.				★★ "Diary of a Mad Black Woman" (2005) Kimberly Elise, Steve Harris. A woman starts over after her husband leaves her.				(:03) ★★ "Madea's Family Reunion" (2006, Comedy) Tyler Perry. A matriarch must keep the peace through family strife.			
MSNBC	36	The Beat With Ari Melber (N)		Hardball With Chris Matthews (N)		All In With Chris Hayes (N)		The Rachel Maddow Show (N)		The Last Word With Lawrence O'Donnell (N)		The 11th Hour With Brian Williams (N)	
NGC	22	Lockup: Long Island- Extended Stay "Red and Whites"		David Blaine: Real or Magic		David Blaine: Beyond Magic		Brain Games Kristen Bell and Dax Shepard face off.		Brain Games Distinguishing fact from fiction.		Brain Games Kristen Bell and Dax Shepard face off.	
PARMT	57	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	★ "Grown Ups" (2010, Comedy) Adam Sandler, Kevin James, Chris Rock. Five friends learn that age and maturity do not, necessarily, coincide.					★ "Grown Ups" (2010) Adam Sandler, Kevin James. Five friends learn that age and maturity do not, necessarily, coincide.			
TBS	25	Family Guy	Family Guy	★★ "The Legend of Tarzan" (2016, Adventure) Alexander Skarsgard, Christoph Waltz. Tarzan must save his captive wife in the jungles of Congo.					★★★ "Hellboy II: The Golden Army" (2008, Action) Ron Perlman, Selma Blair, Doug Jones. Hellboy and his team battle an underworld prince.				
TCM	79	★★★ "Boys' Night Out" (1962) Kim Novak, James Garner. Businessmen prove eager subjects for a sociology student.				★ "The Wrath of God" (1972) Robert Mitchum, Rita Hayworth. 1920s Latin colonel wants ex-priest to kill godless tyrant.				★★★ "Farewell, My Lovely" (1975) Robert Mitchum. Premiere. Detective Philip Marlowe hunts for an ex-con's lost lover.			
TLC	24	90 Day Fiancé "Blindsided" Blake and Jasmin argue on a night out.				Dr. Pimple Popper Tommy has a leg bump; nose growths. (N)		My Feet Are Killing Me A toddler born with 12 toes. (N)		My 600-Lb. Life "Supersized: J.T.'s Story" J.T. weighs almost 900 pounds. (N)			
TNT	26	Bones A skull and hands are discovered.		Bones A dancer's skull is discovered.		★★★ "Avengers: Age of Ultron" (2015, Action) Robert Downey Jr., Chris Hemsworth, Mark Ruffalo. The Avengers reassemble to battle a technological villain.						★★ "Star Wars: The Phantom Menace" (1999)	
USA	27	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Bang"		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Smoked"		★★★ "Captain America: Civil War" (2016, Action) Chris Evans, Robert Downey Jr., Scarlett Johansson. Captain America clashes with Iron Man.						Modern Family	Modern Family "Fears"
WE	71	Love After Lockup Andrea's secret stuns her friends.		Love After Lockup Michael faces Megan's father.		Love After Lockup Sarah takes drastic action.		Love After Lockup (N)		Extreme Love A couple practices "hot-wifing." (N)		Love After Lockup	
HBO	518	(4:00) ★★ "Spanglish" (2004) Adam Sandler. 'PG-13'		(:15) The Outsider Jack has a hair-raising experience.		(:15) ★★ "The Nun" (2018, Horror) Demián Bichir. A priest and a novitiate encounter a demonic nun in Romania. 'R'				Real Time With Bill Maher (N) (Live)		The Outsider Jack has a hair-raising experience.	
MAX	549	(3:15) "Heartbreakers"	(:20) ★★ "Tag" (2018, Comedy) Ed Helms, Jon Hamm, Jeremy Renner. 'R'			(:05) ★★ "Night School" (2018, Comedy) Kevin Hart. Premiere. A student puts up with a feisty teacher at night school. 'PG-13'				Strike Back A Rwandan drug lord obtains the nukes.		(9:50) Strike Back	(:40) "Shanghai Knights"
SHOW	578	(4:00) ★★ "Tyler Perry's the Family That Preys" (2008)		★★ "Five Feet Apart" (2019, Romance) Haley Lu Richardson. Sick teens in love must stay five feet apart at all times. 'PG-13'				★★ "On the Basis of Sex" (2018) Felicity Jones. Ruth Bader Ginsburg brings a case before the Supreme Court.				The L Word: Generation Q Bette feels conflicted.	
TMC	598	(:15) ★★ "Faster" (2010) Dwayne Johnson. An ex-con begins a race against time to avenge his brother's murder. 'R'				★ "The Happytime Murders" (2018, Comedy) Melissa McCarthy, Elizabeth Banks. 'R'			(:35) ★★★ "Confessions of a Dangerous Mind" (2002, Biography) Sam Rockwell, Drew Barrymore, George Clooney. 'R'			"The Singing Detective" 'R'	

Best Bets



Elizabeth Gillies stars in "Dynasty" on The CW.

6 p.m. on NICK
The Crystal Maze

Adam Conover ("Adam Ruins Everything") hosts this Americanized version of a hit British game show, wherein the members of a family tackle a series of physical and mental challenges in a playing area known as the Crystal Maze, which includes four zones: Aztec, Eastern, Futuristic and Industrial. In tonight's series premiere, "The Walls Are Closing In!," the Blair family pulls together in such challenges as the Shrinking Room, to earn time in the Crystal Dome, where they can win up to $25,000 cash.

8 p.m. on WTTO
Dynasty

Fallon (Elizabeth Gillies) recruits Sam, Jeff, Culhane (Rafael de la Fuente, Sam Adegoke, Robert Christopher Riley) and a reluctant Adam (Sam Underwood) to help Anders (Alan Dale) find his missing daughter Kirby (Maddison Brown) in the new episode "What Sorrows Are You Drowning?" Elsewhere, Cristal and Alexis (Daniella Alonso, Elaine Hendrix) have one of their epic catfights. Grant Show also stars.

8 p.m. on TRVL
Kindred Spirits

Paranormal investigators Amy Bruni and Adam Berry once again call on psychic medium Chip Coffey for his assistance as they explore alleged occult activity inside the Old Jail of St. Augustine, Fla. The facility once not only housed some of the most violent criminals in America, but also was the site of many executions of those same evildoers. As he joins his two colleagues, Coffey channels a chillingly dark vision from beyond the grave in the new "Dead Men Tell Tales."

9 p.m. on TCM
Movie: Farewell, My Lovely

Robert Mitchum steps into the iconic role of private eye Philip Marlowe in Dick Richards' 1975 adaptation of Raymond Chandler's 1940 novel of the same title, which previously had hit the big screen in 1944 as "Murder, My Sweet."



Adam Conover hosts "The Crystal Maze" on Nickelodeon.

#IAmCullman (from Front)

never been inside Duchess Bakery, the smell is out of this world, and many want to take the mouthwatering aroma home.

Halverson said, "We've had this happen I don't know how many times. We can go to the bank or Wal-Mart on my way home and people will come up smelling us and they will say, 'You just smell so good! I know you work at Duchess Bakery.'"

"I'm going to make some Duchess Bakery perfume!" Edmondson laughed.

The women said they even had one customer come in trying to bottle the bakery's smell.

Edmondson said she doesn't notice the smell anymore, but shared, "When I first started here, my two favorite things, when the coffee started brewing, you could just smell it through the whole bakery.

"Then, when they opened the strawberry, the whole smell would come through.

"It was just amazing to me because you have had the coffee smell and the strawberry smell and it was just, 'Ahhh!'"

Both ladies say they love their jobs.

"We still learn different things every day," smiled Edmondson. "Something changes and we adjust to it."

One of the biggest changes came when the old machine the dough was put into broke and they began making the donuts completely by hand.

"The yield is higher by doing it by hand and the customers say they are better," she added.

Halverson laughed that making the donuts by hand helped to "muscle them up."

The number of donuts made each day varies with Thursday, Friday and Saturday being the busiest days.

"We've had people come in and have special orders and we've sent them all the way to England and Australia," said Halverson.

"Representative Robert Aderholt would have his secretary bring him donuts up to Washington D.C. and he had them on national TV."

Halverson and Edmondson have had several celebrity encounters during their time at the bakery- sportscaster Jeh Jeh Pruitt, meteorologist Fred Hunter and country group Little Big Town, to name a few.

Edmonson recalled that a few years ago during a severe weather outbreak, "They sat out here in our parking lot and we are coming in at 3 in the morning and they say, 'You got any donuts?' We had some Bismarcks and made hot coffee and sent them on their way."

Edmondson joked about a funny story her friend recently told her: "He went to church and he said, 'I told the preacher to go home and not look at me again.' I asked him what was wrong. He said, 'They went to Wal-Mart and bought donuts and I told him not to ever step inside the church here again! You either bring Duchess of don't speak to me.'"

The ladies have had some memorable moments over the years, but three incidents stand out. The first was the scare that the bakery was on fire.

"We thought it was a fire because the exhaust system kicked on and flour came out. We called 911 for a fire truck. They had the whole block blocked off. Three fire trucks, four cop cars and two ambulances," Halverson recalled.

"I mean, they were ready!" added Halverson.

The second was the tornado of 2011.

"People asked frantically, "Is the Duchess still standing!!" Edmondson laughed, "They didn't ask us if we were OK but if the bakery was."

The third was the one day the fryer wasn't working and there were no donuts!

Edmondson said, "People were NOT happy about that. We couldn't fix it and had to call someone. One lady cussed us out."

One change Halverson wants customers to be aware of is that Duchess German chocolate cakes will now be made with nuts.

"I think people will be happy," she said.

"Growing up, every German chocolate, to me, had nuts in it."

Obviously, the classic glazed donuts are the bakery's best sellers, but Duchess also makes donut nuggets, cinnamon twists, cookies, jelly donuts and many more yummy treats.

Duchess Bakery was established in 1939 and is located at 222 First Ave. SE.

Halverson summed up working at Duchess Bakery, saying, "Who you work with and the job itself makes your life easier.

"Knowing you are making customers happy and they are standing there drooling as soon as they walk through the door because they know they are fixin' to get that hot donut, it just makes your day."

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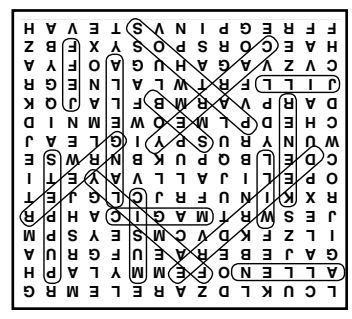
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"Kidding" on Showtime

(Words in parentheses not in puzzle)

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Obituary Announcements: Jan. 24

Funeral services for Lemuel Lee "NuNu" Hooper, 68, of Cullman will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, 2020 at Cullman Funeral Home Chapel with interment in Union Grove Cemetery, Rev. David Chambers officiating. Cullman Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Mr. Hooper passed away Thursday, Jan. 23, 2020 at The Folsom Center. He was born Aug. 10, 1951 to Alfred and Movaleen Hudson Hooper. He had been a resident of The Folsom Center for 22 years as a result of contracting polio as a child. He loved softball and the Margaret Jean Jones Center. He was well loved by his family and his Folsom Center family. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Margaret Jean Jones Center. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother Wyndall Hooper; two infant sisters Mazel and Edna Hooper; nephew Greg Hooper; and sister-in-law Doris Hooper. Survivors include his brothers Johnny Hooper and Gary (Lucille) Hooper; nieces, nephews, family and friends. Visitation will be Friday evening at the funeral home from 5:30-8 p.m. Friends may sign the online guestbook at www.cullmanfuneralhome.com.

Funeral services for Patsy Camp Boatwright, 71, of Hanceville, Alabama will be at noon Saturday, Jan. 25, 2020 at Hanceville Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow at Welti Cumberland cemetery in Welti, Alabama. The family will welcome friends for a visitation beginning at 5:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 24, 2020. Mrs. Boatwright was a lifelong member of the Welti and Center Hill communities. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and friend. Mrs. Boatwright was a chicken and cattle farmer who was passionate about her farming and her animals. Mrs. Boatwright is survived by her husband James Boatwright; children Jeff (Rhonda) Boatwright and Susan (Darryl) Stapp; grandchildren Breanna and Devon Basinger, Kevin and Danielle Stapp, James Jordan Boawright, Jamie Lee (Rachel Onks) Stapp, and Matthew Jeffery Boatwright; great-grandchildren Fallyn and Jossyln Basinger; nephew Chris (Kristi) Boatwright; and a host of family, friends, and neighbors. Mrs. Boatwright is preceded in death by her parents Dorsey and Nancy Camp.

April Duene McDaniel, 57, of Jasper entered into rest Wednesday, Jan. 22, 2020 at Ridgewood Health Services. She was born April 5, 1962. A memorial service will be held Saturday, Jan. 25, 2020 at 2 p.m. at Arley Congregational Church, with Rev. Robert Partridge officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in memory of April to the Ridgewood Health Services Activities Program at 201 Oakhill Road, Jasper, AL 35504. April is survived by her sisters Ramona Gouge, Crystal Rogers and Jo Hancock; brother Tharan McDaniel; and a host of nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents David Watson McDaniel and Phyllis Yvonne Williams McDaniel. Memories and condolences may be shared online at www.nicholsfuneralhomes.com.

Harold Jean Golden, 66, of Cullman passed away Wednesday, Jan. 22, 2020. He was born Oct. 25, 1953 to Howard Elbert and Lovie Harris Golden. Mr. Golden was a hard worker. He provided for his family as a roofer for many years. He and his wife, Bonnie, were blessed with four children. They are also the proud grandparents of six grandchildren. Harold loved his family and it is apparent that they also adored him. He will be greatly missed. Harold is preceded in death by his parents Howard Elbert and Lovie Harris Golden and sisters Jill Freeman and Paula Jones. Mr. Golden is survived by his wife of 40 years Bonnie Kelley Golden; sons Paul Golden, David Golden, and Kevin Kelley; daughter Tracey Weeks; brothers Bobby Golden, Bo Golden, and Ray Golden; sisters Francis Bonner and husband Jimmy and Jerl Thomas and husband Jerry; grandchildren Jessie, Amber, Tyler, Makayla, Vanna, and Nevaeh; and a host of nieces and nephews. Funeral services for Harold are at 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 24, 2020 in the Holly Pond Funeral Home Chapel, Pastor Mahlon officiating. Friends may visit with the family two hours prior to services, from noon until services begin. Holly Pond Funeral Home is honored to serve the Golden family.

Steven Andrew Chaffin, 39, of Cullman passed away Wednesday, Jan. 22, 2020 at Cullman Health Care Center. He was born March 26, 1980 in Midland, MI to Kenneth Duane and Jannie Susan Chaffin. He was preceded in death by his father Kenneth Duane Chaffin. Survivors include his wife Laura Chaffin; children Brandon Chaffin, Jacob Davenport, Caleb Davenport, and Kenzie Jane Davenport; mother Jannie Susan Chaffin; sister Bethany (Ted) Lindsey; niece Abbie Lindsey; aunt Kay Conklin; and a host of cousins. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Funeral services for Nellie Ruth Teichmiller, 83, of Cullman will be at 1 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 2020 at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home with Bud Perkins officiating; interment in Mt. Carmel Cemetery. Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Teichmiller passed away Thursday, Jan. 23, 2020 at Falkville Health Care Center. She was born May 19, 1936 Jim and Lou Ella Steele. She was preceded in death by her parents and husband James Howard Teichmiller. Survivors include her children Rose Borden, Catie (Roger) Mann, Carolyn Thomas, Cookie Zarate, Jimmy (Kim) Taylor, Chuckie (Lisa) Taylor, and Kirk (Kristy) Teichmiller; 18 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; 11 great-great-grandchildren; sisters Jimmy Golden and Arvlene Borden; and brother Doug Steele. Pallbearers are Jason Barnett, Tim Kryer, Josh Brannon, Jesse Cummings, Blake Shelton, and Jeffery Robertson. Visitation will be from noon-1 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 2020 at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home.

Memorial services for Wyndell Edison Cobb are incomplete at this time and will be announced at a later date. Mr. Cobb passed away Jan. 23, 2020 at Cullman Regional Medical Center. He was born Nov. 7, 1940 to Burbon Edison and Irene Ruby Blackwood Cobb. Cullman Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. He was preceded in death by his parents Burbon Edison and Irene Ruby Blackwood Cobb. Mr. Cobb is survived by his son Chris Cobb; daughter Tonya (Josh) Bradley; brother Bundy (Kelly) Cobb; grandchildren Blake (Erica) Cobb, Megan (Shannon) Wilkins, Steven (Amanda) Hough, and Brooks Bradley; and great-grandchildren, Adeline Hough and Jameson Hough. Friends may sign the online guest book at www.cullmanfuneralhome.com.

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Hanceville (from Front)

seven new body cameras as well as seven car cameras.

Police Chief Bob Long said, "We need new ones. The other ones are outdated and are starting to tear up. Some of them are unserviceable.

"The council agreed to fund seven, but I need to purchase 11."

Nail spoke about the $250,000 grant Hanceville received this month for resurfacing of and drainage work on Commercial Street from U.S. Highway 31 eastward to the bridge at North Fork Mud Creek.

The grant was announced Jan. 16 by Gov. Kay Ivey and the Alabama Department of Transportation (ALDOT) as a part of the $7 million awarded to cities and counties for various local road and bridge projects.

The funding was made available through the Annual Grant Program, a new program created under the Rebuild Alabama Act.

"I want to thank the governor," said Nail.

"I want to thank Senator (Garlan) Gudger and Representative (Randall) Shedd. Hanceville was the first area in Cullman County to receive the new Rebuild Alabama money-$250,000."

The City of Hanceville is working with the Town of Colony for a Census Celebration scheduled for June 6.

The family event will have fun activities and food for those who come out and make sure they are counted in the 2020 Census.

"Something we need to target heavy are the kids in the dorms and apartments-we've gotta make sure they fill it out.

"Also, the Hispanic community. I'd really like to see us hit 3,500 this census. Every person we have is more money for our city," Nail said.

The event will have volunteers to help those who may need assistance to make sure they are registered and counted.

This year's Hanceville Irish Festival is scheduled for March 14 from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Look for more details soon.

The next Hanceville City Council meeting is Feb. 13 at 6 p.m. at Hanceville City Hall. A public hearing will be held for the rezoning of the Tenax property.

Martin Twin (from Front)

ue as "Cullman's New Luxury Theatre" and as a special promotion, the first 200 ladies to attend on opening night received a free orchid.

The theater boasted several fancy features including: "Heywood Wakefield chairs- the last word in auditorium seating comfort, Vista-Vue screen and all-purpose projection equipment, stunning tangerine and gold decorations, especially refreshing open-air lobby, convenient free theatre parking, deluxe refreshment area, luscious personalized carpet specifically designed for the Martin all weather entrances."

Less than 10 years later, the theater closed temporarily, from Dec. 9-20 1974, for an exciting remodel. With the addition of a second screen, the theater became the Martin Twin.

Today, the old Martin Twin is home to Stewart Auto Supply and many folks might not know about its nostalgic past. The Tribune stopped by Stewart to see what we could learn. One customer instantly recalled two movies he had seen at the old theater.

"'Coal Miner's Daughter' and an old Ron Howard film called 'Eat My Dust!'" he exclaimed. "I saw both of those here."

The old concession area is now the counter at Stewart and behind the counter is an original poster from the Martin offering free admission with for six RC bottle caps.

"Dirty Mary, Crazy Larry" was the movie that stood out in Stewart employee David Hines' memory.

"I've got the movie at home," said Hines. "It was a good movie. He had this Dodge Charger and it was souped!"

The movie starred Peter Fonda and was a fun yet suspenseful car chase flick.

Hines added, "What's interesting is during the day or during the week, how many people say, 'Boy, I came to a lot of movies here.' We hear that a bunch."

"That was the thing to do. Come up here to the movie and cruise the parking lot of the shopping center," Dawn Wagnon, another employee, said.

Hines explained as he walked through the building, "The floor started sloping and sloped all the way to the back. Later they filled it in to make it level. Up there are the old projector rooms." Hines pointed out where the emergency side exit doors were. The building sloped at such an angle that after leveling out the floor, only about 6 inches of the exit signs can be seen coming up from today's floor. Stewart put in a drop ceiling, but in the original theater, three chandeliers hung from the high ceilings. Hines removed a ceiling tile revealing the only remaining chandelier. What happened to the other two, he does not know.

Cullman Police Chief Kenny Culpepper remembered the Martin fondly, sharing, "My favorite memories are going there with the Cullman Bearcat football team on Friday afternoons before our high school football game that night. They opened just for the team. 'The French Connection,' 'Patton,' 'Mackenna's Gold' come to mind."

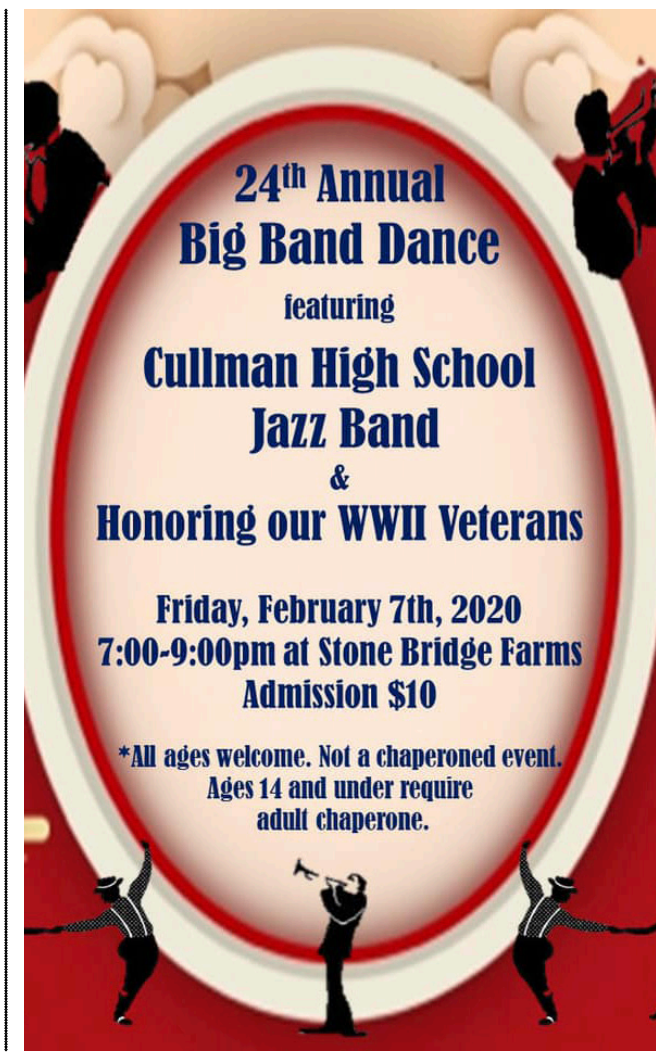
"Jeremiah Johnson," "Little Big Man," "The Godfather" and "The Sting" are just a few of the films resident Steve Arnett remembers catching at the Martin.

Longtime Tribune employee Robin Winton will never forget seeing the horror film "The Town that Dreaded Sundown" there shortly after moving into her first apartment.

"It scared me so bad, I went back to my momma's house to sleep," Winton said.

Hines recalled his brother-in-law saying that one of the worst movies he ever saw back in the 70s at the Martin was "The Exorcist." Apparently, the showing of the movie caused a bit of a controversy.

In 1979, The Town Square Triple was opened by Martin Theatres on the south side of Cullman, and the popularity of the Martin Twin diminished. It finally closed its doors for good in 1987.



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